


# NEWSLETTER

St Peter's Bratton has been in full flow with learning this week and the children are ensuring that they are including our Excellent Expectations. We have started to think about our Harvest Service and started learning our songs. Reception parents joined us on Thursday, more about this later. The highlight of the week for the pupils and staff was our Trek for Tech. I have been spending a lot of time at the Trust headquarters and have missed seeing you all.

## Our Christian Value

This week we have been thinking about having to persevere, even when things are difficult and people try to put you off. We have been looking at how Jeremiah persevered through many difficult situations but still kept strong in his teachings and beliefs. Today we have also been thinking about pupils and staff who are unwell or in hospital.



**Jeremiah 29:11-13**

11 "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

**Jeremiah 29:11-13**

12 Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.  
13 You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."

Dear God,  
We thank you for all the support you give us in our daily life.


Help us to speak up for things that we know are right even if this is hard for us.

Give us strength to do what is right even if other people try to stop us.

We pray today especially for our pupils and staff who are unwell or in hospital.

Please ensure that you are surrounding them and their families with all your love.  
Keep us all safe on our sponsored walk today.  
All this we ask in your name.

**Amen**



## Bratton's Bright Stars





# Bratton's Bright Star Award

Awarded 26/09/25

Class	Pupil (First Name)	Reason why a Bratton Bright Star
Bratton 1 Academic	<b>Autumn-Mae</b>	For her amazing construction skills this week. She followed the instructions and produced some super structures.
Bratton 1 Citizenship	<b>Kobe</b>	For his fantastic balancing and jumping in PE this week. Well done, Kobe!
Bratton 2 Academic	<b>Alfie</b>	For showing kindness and care when tidying up our learning environment.
Bratton 2 Citizenship	<b>Mason</b>	For showing bravery and perseverance when coming into school each day.
Bratton 3 Academic	<b>Raven</b>	For trying hard and persevering with her independent write of The Gingerbread Man. Well done!
Bratton 3 Citizenship	<b>Joseph</b>	For always choosing to do the right thing without being asked. Well done!
Bratton 4 Academic	<b>Jax</b>	Trying <u>really hard</u> to follow our Excellent Expectations.
Bratton 4 Citizenship	<b>Max</b>	Persevering in his English writing
Bratton 5 Academic	<b>Roman</b>	How you have settled into year 2. You have contributed some excellent ideas during our learning.
Bratton 5 Citizenship	<b>Seb</b>	For showing kindness to others during hockey. You were such a great friend offering support.
Bratton 6 Academic	<b>Lottie</b>	You have really focused on your handwriting style and are presenting your work beautifully in all your work. Well done!
Bratton 6 Citizenship	<b>Harvey</b>	You have been ready for your learning in every lesson this week. I am very impressed with your attitude!
Bratton 7 Academic	<b>Harriet</b>	You have blown me away this week with your mathematical understanding and reasoning - amazing work!
Bratton 7 Citizenship	<b>Dimitri</b>	You always set a fabulous example for the other children in class remembering to always be ready, respectful and safe.



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Bratton 8 Academic	Tommie	For achieving our standards of excellence in his maths book this week. <u>Tommie</u> you have worked <u>really hard</u> to form your digits correctly and keep them in the boxes, you should be very proud.
Bratton 8 Citizenship	Mia	For always being ready, respectful and safe. Mia is a great role model for the whole school and her attention to our school values means that her work is always her best to. Keep striving for excellence Mia, well done.
Bratton 9 Academic	Alice	For exceptional writing and an incredible take on her traditional tale.
Bratton 9 Citizenship	Olivia	For being a good friend and exceptional role-model for the year.
Bratton 10 Academic	Delilah	For fantastic effort shown during English and Maths lessons this week.
Bratton 10 Citizenship	Jacob	For being a thoughtful and helpful friend within the classroom.
Bratton 11 Academic	Isla S	For writing an outstanding letter and including excellent vocabulary.
Bratton 11 Citizenship	Ziggy	For supporting your classmates during difficult challenges and showing compassion towards others.
Bratton 12 Academic	Elwyn	For producing great ideas during English and putting your best effort into your work this week.
Bratton 12 Citizenship	Siomha	For always showing that you are ready, respectful and safe. You have been a great role-model this week.
Bratton 13 Academic	Ben	For his excellent application of background knowledge during history lessons to enhance his justifications.
Bratton 13 Citizenship	Sophia	For being a great role model for other children within school an always being polite and courteous to her peers.
Bratton 14 Academic	Ruben	Consistently striving towards excellence in all areas of the curriculum.
Bratton 14 Citizenship	Hattie	Enthusiastic helpfulness and consistent consideration in the classroom and around school



### Attendance and Punctuality



### Reception Welcome Service



On Thursday morning we were thrilled to have so many family members join us for our Reception Welcome Service. We were traected to two songs by Recption children

I Might Be Small - [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OR\\_8db-ZeB9OsymLB5-nXlp9nGVwqXEn/view](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1OR_8db-ZeB9OsymLB5-nXlp9nGVwqXEn/view)

Our God is a Great Big God -

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1R4PvLQqVuCpwwlHDL19XEzLa6MOsTa7G/view>

Rev Ian talked about the story of the wise and foolish man. At the end of the service each of the children received a special cross from the Church and a Bluey sticker for being brave and saying goodbye to the adults. I would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who came and a special thank you to the Friends PTA for providing refreshments.

### Trek for Tech



**Morning Marshalls**

**Afternoon Marshalls**

We have been overwhelmed by the children and the support we have had for our Trek for Tech Day. All the children used our Christian Value of perseverance to complete their sponsored walk challenge. On behalf of all the children and staff I want to say a massive thank you to the teams of marshalls who have given up their time to support and ensure that our children were safe. This is just what our school is about, coming together as a community to make the world a better place. Once again, a gigantic thank you to our Friends PTA for organising this and purchasing our Hi Viz vests for the whole school. I look forward to seeing the outcome and providing more technology for our children.

Next week – Epic Edition of Photos from our Trek for Tech Sponsored Walks and an update on our Total.

## Forces Families



Is one of your family members still serving in the armed forces? We have been informed by Telford and Wrekin that Forces Families Jobs (FFJ) has been introduced. This is a free, tri-Service careers platform for family members of currently serving UK personnel. All employers on FFJ, including Telford & Wrekin Council, have signed the Armed Forces Covenant.

Click here to [Visit FFJ](#)

## Pupils We Are Proud Of



Ziggy and Coco started judo this summer and both did their first grading with Ziggy getting his red belt and Coco her red band!! We are super proud of you both!!



### Year 5/ 6 Football Team



We want to say congratulations to our Year 5/ 6 football team who played on Monday at the Telford and Wrekin Tournament. They all showed our Christian Values and have won through to the next round. Well done boys!!



It is evident that the Autumn weather is starting to rear its head however, there is apparently some sunshine due this weekend. I know that there will be a lot of tired children and staff who are looking forward to a rest. Have a great weekend and I will see you all next week. We are excited to have Councillor Reynolds and Simon Wellman (Director of Education for Telford and Wrekin) visiting us to learn more about our school and the fabulous children and staff.

Mrs Welsh xx



All the children in Reception have settled in well. 😊 We have completed our Reception Baseline Assessments and are excited to explore our Phonics, Writing and Maths learning further next week.

We would like to thank Reverend Ian and Di for delivering our lovely welcome service yesterday. The children enjoyed singing the special songs we learnt for the worship.

This week, we have completed some self-portraits using the mirrors to help us recognise our unique features. We have also continued exploring how our bodies move and how we can use them to complete different skills with the bean bags in PE.

Thank you for a great first month in Reception 😊

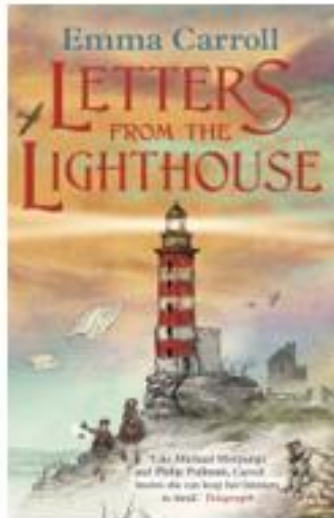




## Year 6 Newsletter

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Year 6 have had an amazing start to the year, and we have really hit the ground running with our learning. They are thoroughly enjoying our class novel: 'Letters from the Lighthouse' and finding out about the evacuation adventures of Cliff and Olive, as well as the disappearance of their sister Sukie.



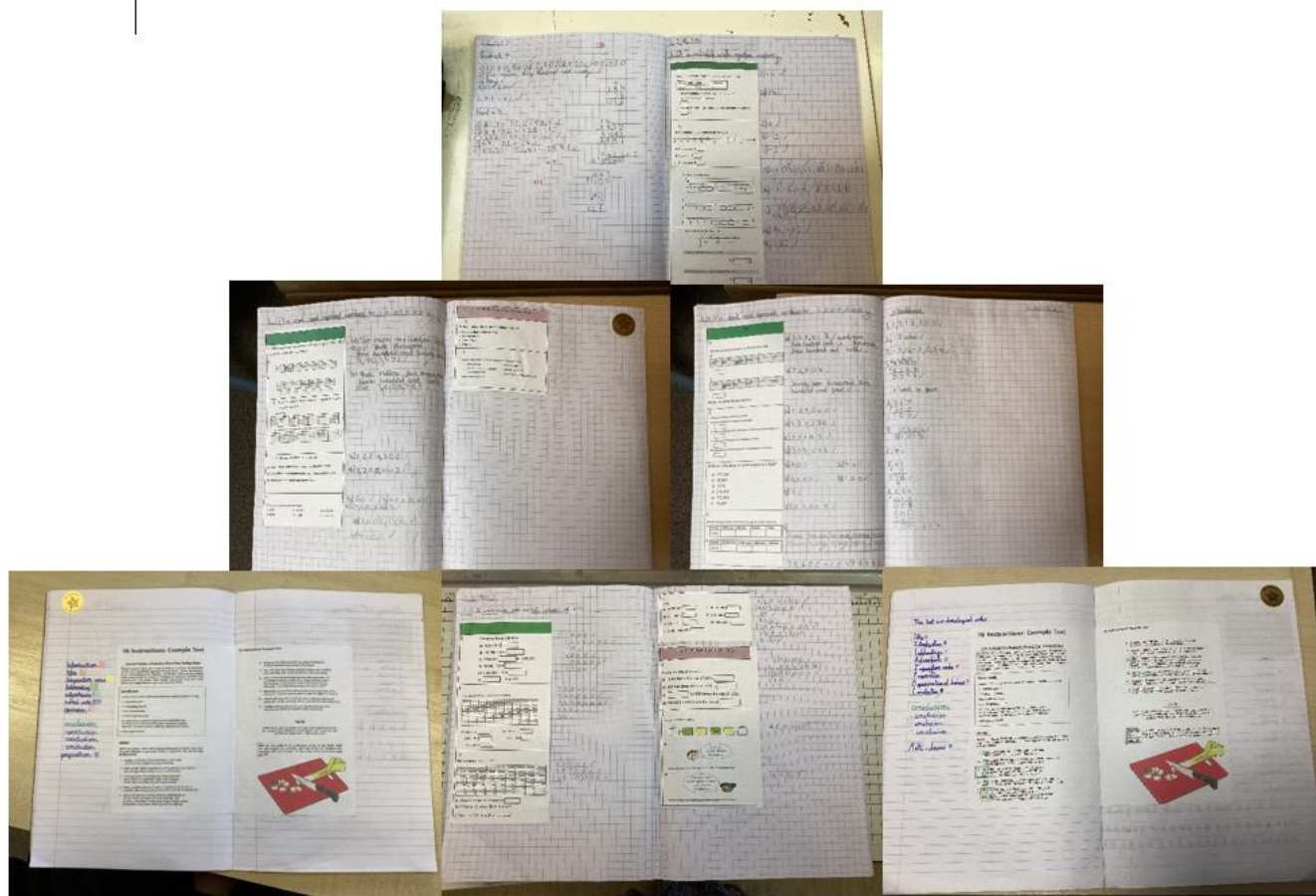
Our writing still links with our driver: World War Two where we are currently writing a set of instructions for precautions to take during an air raid. History has been very though provoking so far and has developed many of our discussion skills when looking at the lead up to WW2 and the big three. We also looked at factors leading up to WW2 and justified which ones we thought were the most or least influential and why.

PE has been another highlight to start our year. We have been focussing on orienteering and team building by playing many many games linked to this.

How many children do you think we can fit in one hoop?



During the last few weeks, we have introduced our new excellent expectations, and all children are persevering hard to get that coveted golden sticker! Well done to those who have. Take a look below at some of our books which are excellently presented!



**DATES FOR THE DIARY**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Year 2 visit Dudley Zoo - details to follow
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Nasal Flu Vaccines- Whole school
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	PD Day
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> October	Half term
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> October	Deadline for Y6 secondary applications
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	Individual school photographs
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	End of term
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> December	Christmas holidays
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> January	PD Day
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> January	Spring term starts
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	PD Day
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	Half term
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	End of term